

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In Re Application |) | |
| No. 09/864,417 |) | For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR |
| |) | MAINTAINING A |
| David Chesavage |) | DISTRIBUTED OBJECT |
| |) | SYSTEM |
| Examiner: Brandon J. Miller |) | |
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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated December 29, 2006, rejecting Claims 1-20 and 26-28. The fee for this Notice of Appeal (37 § 1.17(b)) is \$500.00.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 17 - 0026 of QUALCOMM, INC. in the amount of \$500.00 to pay the necessary fee due under 37 CFR § 1.17(b) for the filing of the Notice of Appeal. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to said Deposit Account No. 17 - 0026.

Respectfully submitted,

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